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PREVALENCE OF DISEASE.

No health department, State or local, can effectively prevent or control disease without knowledge of when, where, and under what conditions cases are occurring.

IN CERTAIN STATES AND CITIES.

CEREBROSPINAL MENINGITIS.

City Reports for Week Ended Aug. 28, 1915.

Place.	Cases.	Deaths.	Place.	Cases.	Deaths.
Boston, Mass.....	1	1	Nashville, Tenn.....	1	1
Chicago, Ill.....	23	1	Newark, N. J.....	1	1
Cleveland, Ohio.....	4	3	St. Louis, Mo.....	2	.....
Dubuque, Iowa.....	11	11	Superior, Wis.....	.....	1
Kansas City, Kans.....	3	1	Toledo, Ohio.....	1	1

DIPHTHERIA.

See Diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, and tuberculosis, page 2818.

ERYSIPELAS.

City Reports for Week Ended Aug. 28, 1915.

Place.	Cases.	Deaths.	Place.	Cases.	Deaths.
Akron, Ohio.....	1	.....	New York, N. Y.....	.....	4
Chicago, Ill.....	6	.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	3	.....
Cleveland, Ohio.....	2	1	Reading, Pa.....	1	.....
Johnstown, Pa.....	1	.....	St. Louis, Mo.....	2	.....
Los Angeles, Cal.....	1	.....	San Francisco, Cal.....	2	.....
New Orleans, La.....	.....	1	Superior, Wis.....	.....	1

LEPROSY.

Michigan—Detroit.

During the week ended August 28, 1915, one death from leprosy was notified in Detroit, Mich.

MALARIA.**Arkansas Report for July, 1915.**

Collaborating Epidemiologist Garrison reported that during the month of July, 1915, 1,343 cases of malaria were notified in Arkansas.

City Reports for Week Ended Aug. 28, 1915.

Place.	Cases.	Deaths.	Place.	Cases.	Deaths.
Berkeley, Cal.....	3	.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	7	4
Boston, Mass.....	1	.....	Plainfield, N. J.....	2	.....
Charleston, S. C.....	.....	1	Sacramento, Cal.....	2	.....
Newark, N. J.....	2	.....	Wilmington, N. C.....	2	.....
New Orleans, La.....	.....	2			

MEASLES.

See Diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, and tuberculosis, page 2818.

PELLAGRA.**Arkansas Report for July, 1915.**

Collaborating Epidemiologist Garrison reported that during the month of July, 1915, 309 cases of pellagra were notified in Arkansas.

City Reports for Week Ended Aug. 28, 1915.

Place.	Cases.	Deaths.	Place.	Cases.	Deaths.
Charleston, S. C.....	.....	3	Nashville, Tenn.....	1	.....
Chicago, Ill.....	1	1	New Orleans, La.....	2	2
Galveston, Tex.....	1	1	Richmond, Va.....	.....	1

PLAGUE.**Louisiana—New Orleans—Plague-Infected Rat Found.**

Surg. Creel reported by telegraph September 12, 1915, that a plague-infected rat had been found at No. 1423 Joseph Street, between Garfield and Hurst Streets.

PNEUMONIA.**City Reports for Week Ended Aug. 28, 1915.**

Place.	Cases.	Deaths.	Place.	Cases.	Deaths.
Auburn, N. Y.....	1	.....	Galveston, Tex.....	1	1
Binghamton, N. Y.....	1	1	Kalamazoo, Mich.....	3	.....
Braddock, Pa.....	1	.....	Los Angeles, Cal.....	5	3
Chicago, Ill.....	38	22	Newark, N. J.....	2	3
Cleveland, Ohio.....	12	12	Norfolk, Va.....	1	1
Dayton, Ohio.....	1	1	San Francisco, Cal.....	2	.....
Dubuque, Iowa.....	1	1	South Bethlehem, Pa.....	1	.....
Everett, Mass.....	1	.....	Toledo, Ohio.....	1	1

PNEUMONIA—Continued.**City Reports for Week Ended Aug. 21, 1915.**

Place.	Cases.	Deaths.	Place.	Cases.	Deaths.
Braddock, Pa.	1	.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	5	5
Chicago, Ill.	42	28	Pittsburgh, Pa.	5	3
Cleveland, Ohio.	9	5	Rochester, N. Y.	4	.....
Los Angeles, Cal.	3	2	San Francisco, Cal.	8	7

POLIOMYELITIS (INFANTILE PARALYSIS).**Kansas—Linn County.**

Collaborating Epidemiologist Crumbine reported that during the two weeks ended September 4, 1915, one case of poliomyelitis was notified in Linn County, Kans.

Arkansas Report for July, 1915.

Collaborating Epidemiologist Garrison reported that during the month of July, 1915, 1 case of poliomyelitis was notified in Scott County, Ark.

City Reports for Week Ended Aug. 28, 1915.

Place.	Cases.	Deaths.	Place.	Cases.	Deaths.
Akron, Ohio.	2	1	Hartford, Conn.	1	.....
Baltimore, Md.	2	.....	Lowell, Mass.	1	.....
Brockton, Mass.	2	.....	New York, N. Y.	2	.....
Cambridge, Mass.	1	.....	Portsmouth, Va. ....	.....	1
Canton, Ohio.	1	.....	Rochester, N. Y.	5	.....
Cleveland, Ohio.	9	.....	Somerville, Mass.	1	.....
Detroit, Mich.	2	.....	Washington, D. C.	1	.....
Erie, Pa.	6	.....	Worcester, Mass.	1	.....

RABIES.**Massachusetts—Lawrence—Human Case.**

During the week ended August 28, 1915, one fatal case of rabies in man was notified in Lawrence, Mass.

Nevada—Reno.

Asst. Surg. Wayson reported by telegraph September 13, 1915, that during the period September 6 to 13, 1915, one case of rabies in man was notified in Reno, Nev., and that of the cases of the disease reported in animals since April, 1915, 10 had been verified as positive by laboratory examination.

Nevada—Winnemucca—Rabies in Animals.

Asst. Surg. Wayson reported by telegraph September 11, 1915, that a case of rabies in a coyote, reported at Winnemucca, Nev., had been proven positive by laboratory examination.

SCARLET FEVER.

See Diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, and tuberculosis, page 2818.

SMALLPOX.**Kansas.**

Collaborating Epidemiologist Crumbine reported that during the two weeks ended September 4, 1915, cases of smallpox were notified in counties of Kansas as follows: Cherokee, 1; Montgomery, 1; Morris, 2; Reno, 1; Sedgwick, 4, Sumner, 3.

Arkansas Report for July, 1915.

Collaborating Epidemiologist Garrison reported that during the month of July, 1915, cases of smallpox were notified in counties as follows: Johnson, 4; Lawrence, 1; Pulaski, 2; Washington, 1, White, 6. Total, 14 cases.

City Reports for Week Ended Aug. 28, 1915.

Place.	Cases.	Deaths.	Place.	Cases.	Deaths.
Charleston, S. C.....	1	.....	Racine, Wis.....	1	.....
Cleveland, Ohio.....	1	.....	Toledo, Ohio.....	14	.....
El Paso, Tex.....	2	.....	Zanesville, Ohio.....	1	.....
Portland, Oreg.....	1	.....			

TETANUS.**City Reports for Week Ended Aug. 28, 1915.**

Place.	Cases.	Deaths.	Place.	Cases.	Deaths.
Baltimore, Md.....	.....	1	Oakland, Cal.....	.....	1
Cambridge, Mass.....	1	.....	Pittsfield, Mass.....	.....	1
Manchester, N. H.....	1	1	St. Louis, Mo.....	4	2
New Bedford, Mass.....	1	.....			

TYPHOID FEVER.**Arkansas Report for July, 1915.**

Place.	New cases reported.	Place.	New cases reported.
Arkansas:		Arkansas—Continued.	
Ashley County.....	6	Lafayette County.....	1
Bradley County.....	1	Lawrence County.....	3
Calhoun County.....	1	Logan County.....	5
Carroll County.....	2	Newton County.....	2
Chicot County.....	21	Ouachita County.....	2
Conway County.....	4	Phillips County.....	12
Crittenden County.....	1	Polk County.....	8
Dallas County.....	4	Pulaski County.....	13
Drew County.....	2	Saline County.....	3
Faulkner County.....	6	Sebastian County.....	8
Franklin County.....	2	Sevier County.....	1
Greene County.....	4	Sharp County.....	1
Hot Spring County.....	1	St. Francis County.....	2
Independence County.....	1	Stone County.....	3
Izard County.....	2	Washington County.....	2
Jackson County.....	2	Woodruff County.....	1
Jefferson County.....	5		
Johnson County.....	6	Total.....	138

TYPHOID FEVER—Continued.

City Reports for Week Ended Aug. 28, 1915.

Place.	Cases.	Deaths.	Place.	Cases.	Deaths.
Altoona, Pa.	2	—	Manchester, N. H.	1	—
Atlantic City, N. J.	4	—	Milwaukee, Wis.	2	—
Auburn, N. Y.	3	—	Mobile, Ala.	3	—
Baltimore, Md.	42	2	Muscatine, Iowa.	2	—
Beaver Falls, Pa.	1	—	Nashville, Tenn.	14	—
Berkeley, Cal.	—	1	Newark, N. J.	7	—
Binghamton, N. Y.	2	—	New Bedford, Mass.	4	1
Boston, Mass.	17	3	New Castle, Pa.	3	—
Bridgeport, Conn.	1	—	New Haven, Conn.	13	1
Brockton, Mass.	1	—	New London, Conn.	1	—
Butte, Mont.	2	—	New Orleans, La.	4	3
Cairo, Ill.	—	1	Newton, Mass.	1	1
Cambridge, Mass.	3	—	New York, N. Y.	90	21
Canton, Ohio.	1	—	Norfolk, Va.	1	—
Charleston, S. C.	2	—	Norristown, Pa.	2	—
Chattanooga, Tenn.	4	—	North Adams, Mass.	1	1
Chicago, Ill.	—	4	Oakland, Cal.	7	—
Cincinnati, Ohio.	4	1	Orange, N. J.	1	—
Cleveland, Ohio.	27	3	Pawtucket, R. I.	—	3
Coffeyville, Kans.	1	—	Philadelphia, Pa.	26	3
Columbus, Ohio.	3	—	Pittsfield, Mass.	2	—
Covington, Ky.	3	1	Plainfield, N. J.	1	—
Cumberland, Md.	1	—	Portsmouth, Va.	1	—
Danville, Ill.	1	—	Providence, R. I.	13	—
Dayton, Ohio.	8	—	Reading, Pa.	3	1
Detroit, Mich.	24	3	Richmond, Va.	20	1
Duluth, Minn.	3	1	Roanoke, Va.	6	—
El Paso, Tex.	8	—	Rochester, N. Y.	7	—
Eric, Pa.	3	—	Rutland, Vt.	2	—
Everett, Wash.	3	1	Sacramento, Cal.	—	1
Fall River, Mass.	4	—	St. Louis, Mo.	8	1
Fitchburg, Mass.	2	—	Salt Lake City, Utah.	5	—
Galesburg, Ill.	—	1	San Diego, Cal.	—	1
Grand Rapids, Mich.	2	—	San Francisco, Cal.	7	1
Harrisburg, Pa.	2	—	Somerville, Mass.	2	—
Hartford, Conn.	17	3	South Bethlehem, Pa.	2	—
Haverhill, Mass.	1	—	Springfield, Ill.	1	—
Jersey City, N. J.	4	—	Springfield, Mass.	1	—
Kansas City, Kans.	3	1	Steubenville, Ohio.	17	—
La Crosse, Wis.	2	—	Superior, Wis.	—	1
Little Rock, Ark.	6	—	Tacoma, Wash.	6	—
Los Angeles, Cal.	5	—	Toledo, Ohio.	11	2
Lowell, Mass.	4	—	Washington, D. C.	28	1
Lynchburg, Va.	—	1	Wheeling, W. Va.	2	—
Lynn, Mass.	2	—	Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	6	1
Malden, Mass.	3	—	York, Pa.	5	—

DIPHTHERIA, MEASLES, SCARLET FEVER, AND TUBERCULOSIS.

Arkansas Report for July, 1915.

Collaborating Epidemiologist Garrison reported that during the month of July, 1915, 17 cases of diphtheria, 10 cases of measles, and 15 cases of scarlet fever were notified in Arkansas.

City Reports for Week Ended Aug. 28, 1915.

City.	Popula- tion as of July 1, 1915 (estimated by U. S. Census Bureau).	Total deaths from all causes.	Diphtheria.		Measles.		Scarlet fever.		Tuber- culosis.		
			Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	
Over 500,000 inhabitants:											
Baltimore, Md.	584,605	152	20	1	3		9		36	18	
Boston, Mass.	745,139	201	39	3	25	1	30		61	19	
Chicago, Ill.	2,447,045	565	79	10	55	1	29		230	66	
Cleveland, Ohio.	656,975	183	43	2	23		3	1	29	12	
Detroit, Mich.	554,717	168	25	1	1	1	1		28	20	
New York, N. Y.	5,468,190	1,361	154	7	92	4	24		387	139	
Philadelphia, Pa.	1,683,664	440	23	4	34	1	9		152	55	
St. Louis, Mo.	745,988	171	41	3	8		5		29	14	
From 300,000 to 500,000 inhabit- ants:											
Cincinnati, Ohio.	406,706	113	16	1	8		4		21	19	
Jersey City, N. J.	300,133	87	9		6		5		30	6	
Los Angeles, Cal.	465,367	84	7		4		7		40	21	
Milwaukee, Wis.	428,062	59	1		6	2	6		25	5	
Newark, N. J.	399,060		7		27	1	2		29	9	
New Orleans, La.	366,484	121	18	2	2		1		27	17	
San Francisco, Cal.	416,912	137	7				5		30	15	
Washington, D. C.	358,679	96	9		18		4		22	13	
From 200,000 to 300,000 inhabit- ants:											
Columbus, Ohio.	209,722		7				1		10	3	
Portland, Oreg.	272,833	41							4	2	
Providence, R. I.	250,025	85	8		1		5			11	
Rochester, N. Y.	250,747	74		2	1				12	2	
From 100,000 to 200,000 inhabit- ants:											
Bridgeport, Conn.	118,434	29	4				1		6	2	
Cambridge, Mass.	111,669	29	2		2		9		7	3	
Camden, N. J.	104,349	9	1		2				5		
Dayton, Ohio.	125,509	28	2				4		2	2	
Fall River, Mass.	126,904	37	1				1		5	1	
Grand Rapids, Mich.	125,759	22	2		1				2		
Hartford, Conn.	108,669	28	4		1		2		8	1	
Lowell, Mass.	112,124	42	2		1					2	
Lynn, Mass.	100,316	21			1		2		4	3	
Nashville, Tenn.	115,978	41	2				1		7	2	
New Bedford, Mass.	114,694	31	1		7		1		5	1	
New Haven, Conn.	147,095		3	1			1		6	4	
Oakland, Cal.	190,893	9	2				3		5		
Reading, Pa.	105,091	39	1		8					1	
Richmond, Va.	154,674	46	1						1		
Salt Lake City, Utah.	113,567	16	1								
Springfield, Mass.	103,216	33			11	1			7		
Tacoma, Wash.	108,094						1		1		
Toledo, Ohio.	187,840	51	3				1		8	7	
Trenton, N. J.	189,212	43	3		1	1			9	3	
Worcester, Mass.	100,523	41	6				1		7	3	
From 50,000 to 100,000 inhabit- ants:											
Akron, Ohio.	82,958	13	1								
Altoona, Pa.	57,006	11	1				1				
Atlantic City, N. J.	55,806		2	1					1	1	
Bayonne, N. J.	67,582		4						2		
Berkeley, Cal.	54,879	4	1		1					1	
Binghamton, N. Y.	53,082	23	1	1	3				4	4	
Brockton, Mass.	65,746	11	3		3		1		5	1	
Canton, Ohio.	59,139	10	2				1		2		
Charleston, S. C.	60,427	30	2							2	
Chattanooga, Tenn.	58,576		3				1				
Covington, Ky.	56,520	15	2		1		1		2		

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City.	Popula- tion as of July 1, 1915 (estimated by U. S. Census Bureau).	Total deaths from all causes.	Diphtheria.		Measles.		Scarlet fever.		Tuber- culosis.	
			Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
From 50,000 to 100,000 inhabit- ants—Continued.										
Duluth, Minn.	91,913		3		1		2		1	3
El Paso, Tex.	51,936	49	3		2		2			
Erie, Pa.	73,798	19	1		1				4	
Harrisburg, Pa.	70,754	19	3							2
Johnstown, Pa.	66,585	16	3	1					1	2
Kansas City, Kan.	96,854		2						2	1
Lancaster, Pa.	50,209		1		1					
Lawrence, Mass.	98,197	31	2						6	3
Little Rock, Ark.	55,158	18	2							
Malden, Mass.	50,067	12	6	1			1			
Manchester, N. H.	76,959	24								
Mobile, Ala.	56,536	10	1						2	2
New Britain, Conn.	52,203								1	1
Norfolk, Va.	88,076		1				1		3	3
Passaic, N. J.	69,010	22								2
Pawtucket, R. I.	58,156	16	3							
Rockford, Ill.	53,761	8								
Sacramento, Cal.	64,806	22	1							4
San Diego, Cal.	51,115	13	7				1		2	2
Somerville, Mass.	85,460	14			1				2	3
South Bend, Ind.	67,030	10			1					1
Springfield, Ill.	59,468	17	1				1			
Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	75,218	22	1		2				3	2
York, Pa.	50,543		1						10	
From 25,000 to 50,000 inhabit- ants:										
Alameda, Cal.	27,031	8								2
Auburn, N. Y.	36,947	8		1					1	
Brookline, Mass.	31,934	3							1	
Butler, Pa.	26,587	7								
Butte, Mont.	42,918								2	4
Chelsea, Mass.	132,452	11	2		2		2		2	1
Chicopee, Mass.	28,688			2						
Cumberland, Md.	25,564	5	1						1	
Danville, Ill.	31,554	7			1				1	2
Davenport, Iowa.	47,127		2							
Dubuque, Iowa.	39,650						11		1	1
East Orange, N. J.	41,155	3							2	
Elgin, Ill.	27,844	3								
Everett, Mass.	38,307	10	1		1					
Everett, Wash.	33,767	9								
Fitchburg, Mass.	41,144	17	5				1		3	2
Galveston, Tex.	41,076	7								
Haverhill, Mass.	47,774	16	14	3					3	2
Kalamazoo, Mich.	47,364	14					1		1	1
La Crosse, Wis.	31,522	8	1							1
Lexington, Ky.	39,703	11							6	
Lynchburg, Va.	32,385	5								
Madison, Wis.	30,084				1					1
Medford, Mass.	25,737	5	2						1	
Montclair, N. J.	25,550	1							1	
New Castle, Pa.	40,351		2							
Newport, Ky.	31,722	7							1	1
Newport, R. I.	29,631	4							2	
Newton, Mass.	43,085				1				1	
Niagara Falls, N. Y.	35,240	15					1			1
Norristown, Pa.	39,833	7			2		1			1
Ogden, Utah.	30,466	5	1							
Orange, N. J.	32,524	12								
Pasadena, Cal.	43,859	13								1
Perth Amboy, N. J.	39,725		2		1					
Pittsfield, Mass.	37,580	16							2	2
Portsmouth, Va.	38,610	7	2							
Racine, Wis.	45,507	10	3		1					
Roanoke, Va.	41,929		11				3			1
Steubenville, Ohio.	26,631	10	2	1			3			
Stockton, Cal.	34,508						1		1	
Superior, Wis.	45,285	8	1							

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			Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
From 25,000 to 50,000 inhabit- ants—Continued.										
Taunton, Mass.	35,957	20			2		1		1	
Waltham, Mass.	30,129	5	2		2		1			1
West Hoboken, N. J.	41,593		1						3	
Wheeling, W. Va.	43,097	11					1			1
Williamsport, Pa.	33,495	11	3							
Wilmington, N. C.	28,264	15	1							2
Zanesville, Ohio.	30,406						1			
From 10,000 to 25,000 inhabit- ants:										
Ann Arbor, Mich.	14,979	6								1
Beaver Falls, Mass.	13,316						1			
Braddock, Pa.	21,310		1		4				2	
Cairo, Ill.	15,593	5								1
Clinton, Mass.	13,075	1					1			
Concord, N. H.	22,480	7								
Galesburg, Ill.	23,923	9								1
Kearny, N. J.	22,753	5	2						3	
Key West, Fla.	21,437	7								
Melrose, Mass.	17,166	4	2						1	
Morristown, N. J.	13,158	9	1							
Muscatine, Iowa.	17,287	9							1	
Nanticoke, Pa.	22,441	3	1							
Newburyport, Mass.	15,195	7							1	
New London, Conn.	20,771	7							1	
North Adams, Mass.	122,019	6								
Northampton, Mass.	19,846	8							1	
Plainfield, N. J.	23,280	15								
Rutland, Vt.	14,624	6								
Saratoga Springs, N. Y.	12,842	6							1	
South Bethlehem, Pa.	23,522		2							
Wilkesburg, Pa.	22,361	7								
Woburn, Mass.	15,862	2								

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